HALLS OF LEARNING.

THE COMMENCEMENT SEASON IN FULL BLAST.

Washington and Lee, the University, ad Randolph-Macon - Baccalaurente Sermons and Other Interest-

LEXINGTON, VA., June 15 .- (Special.)-The 114th commencement exercises of Washington and Lee University began yesterday. Bishop John B. Newton, of Virginia, preached the baccalaueate sermon in the morning in the Lee-Memorial chapel. His text was the verse of the 1st chapter of The sermon was a powerful discourse on the Gospel of Christ. There was a large audience present, including persons from a distance. The weather was ideal commencement weath-

er, with a pleasant breeze stirring. The address in the evening of Rev. Wilham J. Young, D. D., of Norfolk, before the Young Men's Christian Associaof the University was very striking and novel in its style, and was well received. He spoke on "The Creed Needed to Conquer the World."

THE REGATTA.

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The long-looked-for and much-heralded nate of clock, over a mile course, on North river. Long before the hour set for the race a large crowd had gathered, bedecked with the colors of the Albert-Sidney blue or the Harry-Lee red. The crowd was entertained by music by the band. The race was exciting from start to finish. The Reds were two boatlengths ahead until near the half. Then both crews pulled on even terms, and the Blues forged ahead and won by a boat's length.

Ing with a valedictory sermon by the chaplain, Rev. Dr. Cocke, which was delivered in the University chapel. Dr. Association, in a most able discourse, and reference in the Color of the University German Club dances was given in the Fayerwenther gymnasium, commencing at 11 o'clock and continuing until late in the afternoon. The german was led by Mr. William Lynn Cochran. The belies and beauties have been gathering for several days from all over "old Virginny" and adjoining States, and many, indeed. rews were: Albert-Sidney-Jenkins,

The crews were: Aibert-Sidney-Jenkins, West Virginia, stroke: Oberlin, Virginia, No. 3; Chambers, Kentucky, No. 2; McChuer, Virginia, No. 1; Macatec, coxawain, Harry-Lee-Wilson, of Kentucky, Stroke; Vance, Kentucky, No. 3; Shields, Virginia, No. 2; Harrison, Virginia, No. 1; Barret, coxawain, Time, 4:46. LITERARY SOCIETIES.

day. The weather was delightful, and large crowds attended both morning and evening. The literary exercises were held in the morning. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Henry S. Dulancy, of the Mcthodist Episcopal church. The principal of the Academy made a brief address, touching the work of the session and the prosperous condition of the institution. Certificates of distinction were awarded to a large number of pupils. The Childrey scholarship medal for highest excellence in the primary del riment was awarded to Master Thomas W. Taylor, of Onancock. The Rev. A. J. Reamy, of the Baptist church, in presenting the medal, made an admirable speech.

The Powell scholarship medal for bighest excellence in the academic depuriment was was by Miss.

tingham, of Northampton, and was de-livered by Montcalm Oldham, Esq., whose beautiful and appropriate speech won warm applause from the audience.

warm applause from the audience, Class prizes were awarded to Mary B. Harmanson, Anne E. Hopkins, Buth Kel-lam, Mildred Brent, William Bagwell, T. W. Taylor, Jr., Thomas E. Addison, Helen Jolliffe, Barton Lilliston, Edward C. Bundlek, Marvin Watson, Lily Nelson, Annie E. Fosque, Josephine A. Nock, Rowland H. Latham, and Ira Hurst,

FINAL CONCERT.

The final concert by the music pupils of the academy was held at night. The both vocal and instrumental music finely rendered, showing faithful work on the parts both of teachers and pupils. The gold medal for highest excellence

The gold medal for highest executates in instrumental music was awarded to Miss Annie E. Fosque, of Onancock. The presentation speech made by the Rev. Dr. George E. Booker, was a model of excellence. The exercises closed with a stirring choral song by the vocal pupils.

BOARD MEETING. The Board of Trustees held a meeting portant business. Steps were taken to raise a fund with which to erect better raise a fund with which to erect better buildings for the school. The president of the board is the venerable John W. Tankard, of Northampton, who, though he has completed his 86th year, is still full of life and vigor. Mr. Tankard role from his home to Onancock yesterday morning, a distance of nearly twenty miles, and returned home in the afternoon. Among the other members of the board present were Hon. John W. H. Parker, Dr. Joseph E. Brodwater, Dr. Charles L.

Joseph E. Brodwater, Dr. Charles L. Harmanson, Benjamin W. Mears, Rich-ard V. Nottingham, Joseph H. Hebard, and William T. Mason.

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Nearly all of the pupils have left for
their hemes, and some of the officers and
teachers will spend their vacation away,
Mr. Frank P. Brent, principal of the academy, expects to spend the summer at his old home, in the mountains of Nelson, and Miss Barstow, one of the teachers in the music department, will home of the bride, rds bay, in Massachusetts. The corps teachers will remain unchanged for

RANDOLPH-MACON.

Commencement Exercises Inaugurated-Board to Meet To-Day.

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ASHLAND, VA., June 15.—(Special.)—Yesterday morning the commencement exercises of Randolph-Macon College were mangurated by Rev. C. Forest Moore, of Piedmont, W. Va., who preached the baccalaureate sermon before a large congregation. Mr. Moore is a member of the Baltimore Conference and a fine speaker. His sermon was attentively listened to. He took for his text, "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong" (I. Corinthians xvi., 13), and handled his theme in a masterly manner.

strong" (I. Corinthians Xvi., 13), and handled his theme in a masterly manner. To-morrow morning the Board of Trustees will meet. The board will be presided over by Rev. R. N. Sledd, D. D., first vice-president, as Bishop Wilson is detained at home by sickness. President W. W. Smith and Colonel Richard Irby, secretary and treasurer, have all the reports printed and ready to submit at the opening session. I saw the President loday. He is very much encouraged at opening session. I saw the President to-day. He is very much encouraged at the successful year just closed. All the Hapden institutions have done well, and institution of the Randolph-Macon Co.

HOGE ACADEMY.

Closing Days-Three Scholarships Awarded-Personal.

BLACKSTONE, VA., June 15.—(Special.)—The commencement exercises of the second session of Hoge Academy took place on Saturday and Sunday. Judge W. H. Mann, of Nottoway, delivered the annual address on Saturday night to a large audience. It was forceful, prac-The principal, Professor S. J. Coffman,

then read the list of distinctions for the intermediate and final examinations. The academy offered three prize scholarships, which were awarded as follows: The Hampden-Sidney College scholarship to Mr. John Gordon Rennie, of Amelia; the Washington and Lee scholarship, to Mr. William McCoy, of West Virginia; and the Randolph-Macon scholarship, to Mr. D. R. Anderson, of Blackstone. These young gentlemen made the highest marks for the session in the order named, and are entitled to enter the above institutions for one year without paying tuition. On Sunday morning the baccalaureate sermon was preached by the Rev. E. H. Harding, D. D., of Farmville, in the Methodist church. He also delivered an address to the students in their chapel in the afternoon. On Sunday night the annual sermon before the Young Men's Christian Association was preached by Rev. T. T. Jones, D. D., of Petersburs.

county.

Rev. S. K. Winn, D. D., of Petersburg, visited the school on Friday.

Among the young ladies in attendance on the academy exercises were Miss May Paulett, of Farmville, and Miss Nettle Rennie, of Amelia.

The session just closed has been most successful in the work done, and the morale of the students has been exceptionally high.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA. Two Fine Discourses-Gayety-Lite-

rary Society Celebration. UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, June 15. (Special.)-The final exercises of the University of Virginia began Sunday morning with a valedictory sermon by the

German Club dances was given in the Fayerweather gymnasium, commencing at 11 o'clock and continuing until late in the afternoon. The german was led by Mr. William Lynn Cochran, The belies and beauties have been gathering for several days from all over "old Virginny" and adjoining States, and many, indeed, are the happy and beautiful faces that now lend their charms to the University as she is rising slowly from the ashes of what she once was.

THE DANCERS.

Among those participating in the dance were Miss Jennie Randolph and Mr. Gardner Boothe, of Alexandria; Miss Bes-sie Smith and Mr. Blair, Miss Masters and The final celebration of the literary societies took place to-night at 9 o'clock. Upon the conclusion of these exercises the Pinckney Prize-Cup was presented to the winning crew. The final german was held in the gymnasium hall at 11 o'clock. Senator William Lindsay, of Kentucky, arrived on the night train, and was met by Hon. J. R. Tucker and committee from the law class.

MARGARET ACADEMY.

The Closing Exercises—Medals—Awarded—Board Meeting.

ONANCOCK, VA., June 15.—(Special.)—The closing exercises of historic old Margaret Academy took place here Friday. The weather was delightful, and large crowds attended both morning and large crowds attended both morning and Mr. Wise, Miss Lyons and Mr. Wight, Miss Virginia Moods and Mr. Parish; Miss Rice, of Galveston, Tex., and Mr. Douglass Gordon; Mrs. King and Mr. Douglass Gordon; Mrs. King and Mr. Hardy; Miss Ellen Lee, of Lynchburg, and Mr. Allen; Miss Fannic Cochran, of "The Plains," and Mr. Helden; Miss Carmichael, of Lexington, and Mr. Tayloe Gwathmey, Miss Bryan and Mr. George Wertenbaker, Miss Margaret Bryan and Mr. Wise, Miss Lyons and Mr. Wise, Miss Evelyn Bryan and Mr. Worfleet, Miss Lyons and Mr. Wight, and Mr. Cochran; Miss Wormley of Highmone, Miss Virginia Woods and Hon. J. W. Fishburne: Miss Wormley of Highmone, Mr. Antrim, Miss Margaret Margaret Margon and Mr. Hardy; Miss Ellen Lee, of Lynchburg, and Mr. De Shields; Miss Scoville, of Lynchburg, and Mr. Allen; Miss Fannic Cochran, of "The Plains," and Mr. Hardy; Miss Ellen Lee, of Lynchburg, and Mr. Antrim, Miss Virginia Miss Margaret Margaret Margaret Margaret Bryan and Mr. Wise, Miss Adams, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Norfleet, Miss Lyons and Mr. Wight, Mr. Antrim, Miss Cravely and Mr. Antrim, Miss Margaret Margar

Slaughter, May, King, Gordon Buck, Professor Dabney, Professor James Haye Paxton, Gordon Paxton; Weddill, of Richmond; McGuire, Adams, Kille-brew, Peters, Lambert, Williams, McKim, Davis, Holland, Stunrt Harkell; Marshall King, of Washington; William Werten-baker, Langes-rae, Dillard; Cannon, of Richmond; Claud, Clopton, Gochran, Richmond; Claud, Clopton, C Michie, Jones, Garnett, Nelson,

BOARD MEETING. The Board of Visitors met to-day, but its proceedings have not been made pub-lic. It is understood that it has on the nusic pupils
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He. It is understood that it has on the
calendar a very large amount of business,
much of it of great importance. Profesthe Methodiat
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effect at the pleasure of the board, his
meeting of the visitors.

the beautiful Gothic chapel to-night, which was thronged at an early the Washington Literary Society, held its and the debater's medal by Mr. G. W. Holland, of Eastville, Va. Each delivered an address to-night. Mr. A. Scott Buillit, of Louisville, Ky., presided.

The lawns are brilliantly illuminated, and Weber's Band, of Washington, as of

old, is furnishing the music for the oc

WHITESTONE-BAILEY.

The Marriage of a Newspaper Correspondent in Washington.

CULPEPER, VA., June 15.—(Special.)
Miss Kate Bailey and Mr. Lewis I Miss have Whitestone of this place, were married in St. Stephen's church, Washington, D. C., at noon to-day, Father O'Connell, officiating. Miss Eailey is the beautiful and talented daughter of our popular and talented daughter of our popular manufacture. David Eailey, of the and theretee daughter of our popular city councilman, David Bailey, of the Southern railway. Mr. Whitestone is a popular young merchant and a news paper correspondent of decided ability He represents several leading dailies, and enjoys the respect and esteem of the entire community. The bridal party ar-rived ongthe 7.29 train this evening, and were handsomely entertained at the

Emporia Notes.

EMPORIA, VA., June 15.—(Special.)—Mr. H. B. Garland, of Richmond, commenced a series of meetings at the Baptist church

The Board of Supervisors were in sea ion nearly all day to-day, and transacted onsiderable routine business. Mr. Richard H. Harrison, an old Con-ederate veteran, died this morning. Mr.

camp to the reunion.

Mrs. S. W. Reeve is visiting her sister.

Mrs. E. L. Turner.

Mrs. J. C. Lifsey has nearly recovered Mr. Powhatan Slagle, who was quite seriously hurt by a locomotive a few days

since, is improving, He Is for Silver.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., June 15.—(Spe-District Attorney for West Virginia, and andidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, comes out in an open letter, declaring for free silver.

Sallow complexion,

dull yellow eyes, offensive breath, and skin covered with pimples and eruptions are caused by Dr. indigestion. Bright eves, a clear skin. Deane's and rosy cheeks Dyspepsia follow the use of Dr. Deane's Dys-Pills. pepsia Pills. White wrapper if consti-

pated, yellow if bowels are loose.

DR. J. A. DEANE CO., Kingston, N. Y. (de 22-Su, Tu&Th-&wlyfr) Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

FIRE IN PETERSBURG.

THE GROCERY-STORE OF LOCK-ETT & BROTHER BURNED.

Loss and Insurance-Origin of the Fire Unknown-Good Work of the Department-Sunday-School Statistics-Personal and General.

PETERSBURG, VA., June 15.-(Spe cial.)-The large frame building No. 417 Halifax street, owned and occupied as a grocery-store by Messrs, W. W. Lockett & Brother, was destroyed by fire, with nearly all of the stock of goods, about o'clock this morning. How the fire originated is not known. The alarm was turned in some distance away. The prompt response and splendid work of the depastment confined the fire to the store-building, and none of the adjacen property suffered injury, Messrs, Lockett Brother had \$1,000 insurance on their building and \$3,000 on their stock of goods. The rooms above the stere were occupied by the Appointtiox Baking Powder Company, whose loss is covered by an insurance of \$300.

SAD INFORMATION. A well-known young insurance adjuster from New York arrived in the city

BAPTIST S. S. ASSOCIATION.

The regular monthly meeting of the Baptist Sunday School Association was held Sunday afternoon at the First Bap-tist church, with interesting exercises. The reports of the several superintendents

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Mrs. Lucinda P. Jones, a respected Christian lady, died last night at her home, in this city, aged 8 years. She was the mother of the late W. B. and Clinton Jones, well known tobacconists.

Mr. Morton Riddle, a popular young

Mr. Joseph P. Brady, a recent law grad-late of the University of George-own, is visiting relatives in this city. Mr. W. A. Ruffin and wife left this

ASSIGNMENT IN ROANOKE.

Trust, Loan, and Safe-Deposit Company-Three Deaths.

ROANOKE, VA., June 15 .- (Special.) The Roanoke Trust, Loan and Safe-Deosit Company, of this city, has assigned, with L. H. Cocke, as trustee. The company is one of the oldest banking institutions in the city, Assets, \$546,994.45, Linbilities, \$242,693.75. The assignment has not affected other banks here. The offieers of these institutions announced a the close of business this afternoon that the deposits with each to-day were in excess of the withdrawals. Extensive leans on real estate and inability to realize on these investments made the cor

THREE DEATHS. Charles H. Denison, an old and respected citizen died here yesterday, at the advanced age of 73 years. He leaves a wife and two sons. Deceased was for many years connected with the Plant Steamship Line, from which he retired Steamship Line, from which as relifed some years ago. The remains were sent to Middletown, Conn., for interment. Mrs. Emma E. Musser, wife of Charles F. Musser, died here yesterday, and was buried this afternoon in Fairview Ceme-

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Guy, the widowed mother of Councilman H. W. Guy, died here this morning, after a long illness; aged 62 years. The remains will be taken to Lynchburg to-morrow for interment.

BASE-BALL CHANGE. The Board of Directors of the Roanoke Base-Rall Association, for economical reasons only, decided at a meeting this evening, to dispense with the services of evening to dispense with the services of Mr. Boyer, the non-playing manager. For the present, Edward Tate, the popular first-baseman, will be the manager. A. S. Asberry, ex-postmaster of this city, broke his right arm by a fall Sunday morning. Though painful, his injuries are not regarded as dangerous. An independent for company which An independent ice company, which promises to sell ice at 50 cents a hundred pounds, against 60 cents, which the people of Roanoke now have to pay for small quantities, has been formed here.

SEVERE HAIL-STORM.

Damage to Trees and Gardens Around Fredericksburg.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., June 15 .-Special.)-A hail-, rain-, and wind-storm. limited in area, but very destructive in its ravages, struck this place to-day at P. M. The greatest damage seems to 1 P. M. The greatest damage seems to have been done near town, where many trees were blown down and gardens ruined. The half-stones were as large as pigeons' eggs, and, while the force of the fall was not seemingly great, there was a good deal of glass broken. A large amount of water fell, and the runs were soon dangerous to cross. Mr. Bowie Gray's team got into the current at Roach's Mill, just opposite the town, and it was with great difficulty and at the risk of his life that the driver succeeded risk of his life that the driver succeeded in saving the horses. Mr. Thomas Bullock, who resides a

short distance from Falmouth, reports great destruction in his neighborhood, where growing crops are seriously dam-aged, vegetable- and melon-patches being totally destroyed. CONSTANTINOPLE, June 15.—The police this morning hanged seven Armenians in different parts of Galata, a sub-urb of this city.

NORFOLK NEWS.

Suicide of a Moterman-Elks' Memorial-A Child Drowned.

NORFOLK, VA., June 15 .- (Special.)-Motorman John S. McDaniel committed suicide Sunday evening at his boardingplace, in Huntersville, by shooting himself through the head with a 38-calibre revolver. McDaniel was a native of Essex county, and came here shortly after the Ocean-View Railroad Company put in its electric-cars, getting a position as motorman on that line. He was about 32 or 33 years of age, and of steady habits. McDaniel was motorman on the train which met with the terrible accident near Glenair, at Tanners-Creek bridge, in which two young men were killed, and it is said this circumstance had weighed on his mind ever since, though he was personally free from all blame for the accident. For some time he had been a motorman on the Norfolk street railway, and it is said was unlucky in an affair of the heart lately,

ELKS' MEMORIAL. revolver. McDaniel was a native of Esser

ELKS MEMORIAL.

Selection of the heart lately.

Yesterday was observed by Norfolk Lodge of Elks as their first annual decoration-day. Visiting Elks from Portsmouth, Berkley, Newport News, Richmond, Petersburg, and Baltimore participated, and the memorial procession in the afternoon from the lodge-room, in the Academy of Music building, to Elks' rest in Elimwood Cemetery, was a handsome and imposing one, being headed by the Soidlers' Home Band.

The exercises at the seminary were begun with prayer by the Rey, Robert Coupland. The orator of the day was the Hon. W. J. O'Brien, of Baltimore, and the eologist the Rey Dr. M. B. Wharton. The vocal numbers on the programme were rendered with most execlent effect by Mr. T. J. McNulty, of Baltimore; Captain Frank Cunningham, of Richmond, and the Diamond Quartetic of Norfolk, While Mr. O'Brien was delivering his oration the platform collapsed, and the remainder of the exercises were continued from the porch of the ladlers' waiting-room, The collapse of the

on the death of Dr. W. A. Campbell, the former pastor of the congregation. Pro-fessor Stubbs presided, and remarks en-logistic of the life and character of Dr. Jones, well known tobacconists.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

It is not believed that the special committee appointed by the Common Council to investigate the matter of the city finances and report as to any necessity for retrenchment under the present rate of taxation will deem it necessary to recommend any reduction of salaries or any consolidation of minor offices. It is declared that even at a lower rate of taxation there would be no need of such a course.

Mr. Morton Riddle, a possular term.

Masonic Officiers Elected.

Masonic Lodge, No. 6, at their last stated communication, elected the following officers: Henry M. Sweeney, mister; Robert L. Spencer, senior warden; T. H. Geddy, junior warden; Rev. P. T. Warlen, secretary; L. W. Lane, Jr., treasurer; Edward W. Warburton, senior deacon; Frank Wolfe, junior deacon; W. L. Spencer, tiler, All of the above-named will be installed on the 2th (St. John's-Day). Owing to the college commencement the day will not be generally observed by the lodge. The annual dinner will be given some time in July, PERSONAL. PERSONAL

Captain Robert A. Bright, with his son, Mr. Robert S. Bright, of Philadelphia, returned this morning from a visit to Vir-ginia Beach and Chamberlin's, at Old

Mr. Allie S. Cowles is in Hollidaysburg, Pa., visiting his siste, Mrs. A. T. Bent-

Mr. James McCaw, of the Southern road, at Norfolk, was here yesterday to visit his uncle, Dr. James D. Moncure.

Suicide of a Well-Known Merchant of Rather Glen.

ASHLAND, June 15 .- (Special.)-Mr. H. S. Blank, a prominent merchant of Ruther Glen, came to his death this morning by his own hand. About 7:20 o'clock he retired to a room of his storehouse and with a shotgun killed himself instantly. The room, which was used for sleeping purposes, was bespattered with blood. Mr. Blank had been despendent for several days and his condition had been noted by those with whom he daily came in contact, but nothing incleated that he intended self-destruction, it is believed that he convention in the contact of dicated that he intended self-destruction. It is believed that he committed the deed while suffering from mental depression. Until recently he had been employed as a drummer by a Baltimore drug configuration, but about three weeks ago he returned home and had since been attending to his store. He was a married man, about 48 years old. He leaves a wife, who was a Miss Beulah Quarles, of Caroline, and two interesting children. His burial will take place to-morrow at his home. Mr. Blank was a large man, joyial, and very popular, and had a host of and very popular, and had a host of

SCOTLAND NECK.

Heavy Wind- and Hall-Storm-Dam-

age to Crops. SCOTLAND NECK, N. C., June 15 .-(Special.)-Heavy clouds passed over here Saturday night, but there was no dam age in this immediate community. Reports come from Hobgood, eight mlies from this place, that a most terrific wind-and hall-storm passed through that sec-tion about 12 o'clock Saturday night. The storm lasted thirty minutes, and its track was about a mile wide. At Palmyra the rain was the heaviest, it is said, that has been seen there in thirty years. The hall and wind did great damage to the crops, but no other damage has been re-ported. Some fields that were promising days ago now present a scer

of devastation.

Mrs. R. T. Vann has gone to Virginia
to spend the summer with her mother.

Mrs. J. K. McIlheny went to Weldon
a day or two ago on a visit. Miss Maggie Bowers, who has been in school at West Point, Miss., returned

Seven Armenians Hanged.

Temple, Pemberton, Cordes & Co.

The approach of our semi-annual inventory is not many weeks off. In going over our steck we find many ends of large lots of

Desirable Merchandise

that we want sell before our stock-taking. Every one of them such as are wanted now, and we would rather stand a loss than keep them over stock-taking time.

Some lots a few dozen and in some only a few pieces.

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WE HAVE MADE THE PRICES EXTREMELY IN. TERESTING TO EVERY PRUDENT SHOPPER.

********* LINEN ITEMS.

Figured Ducks, in stripes and neat figure 12 1-2c, values, 5c, a yard,

40-inch Printed Lawns, all light grounds sold the first of the season at 152-5c. 19c, a yard.

From Koechlin best Organdies, 16 2-3c Lawns, best Domestic Dimities, 17c value, the choice of the entire collec-tion 10c, a yard.

25 and 35c, English Galatea and Fancy French Piques, 12 1-2c, a yard.

White, Red, and Blue Bunting, 5c, per r New Decorating Materials

DEATH OF MR. W. RANDOLPH.

Passes Away in New York. The remains of Mr. Wilton Randolph who died in the New York hospital on Monday of Bright's disease, will arrive in this city on the 2:45 train from the North to-day. They will be taken to the Church vices will be conducted by Rev. J. J. Gra-vatt at 3:20 o'clock this afternoon. The interment will be in Hollywood. The de-ceased lived in Richmond for a long time, and was well known here. He was a member of the Westmoreland Club, and was also for a long time a prominent

York, of which organization he was for many years the secretary.

Mr. Randolph was seen on the streets

Regiment, Just before the war cooled. Randolph started to join Colonel Mosby's forces, but the surrender occurred before he reached Mosby's command.

After the war Mr. Randolph went to New York and became connected with the Mutual Life-Insurance Company. In 1881 he married Miss lida Evans, daughter of the late Colonel Thomas J. Evans, of this city. She died in December, 1837. Mr. Randolph had always been a very frequent visitor here, and was well known among Richmond people. He was a brother of the late Messrs Innes and Peyton Randolph, both of whom were well known here, and also of Mr. Marion Randolph, who now lives in Albany, N. Y. He was also a brother of Mrs. Galt and Mrs. Dulaney, of Loudoun county, Va., and of Miss Sue Randolph, who resides in Bal-Miss Sue Randolph, who resides in Ba

Miss Sue Randolph, who resides in Dattimore.

The deceased was for many years in the law department of the Mutual Life, of New York. He leaves four children-Peyton and Wilton and Louise and Ida Randolph. Mr. Randolph had been living in Richmond until the early part of May last, when he went to the metropolis to reside. While here he was engaged with the Mutual Life-insurance Company in the office of Messrs. O. F. Bresce & Son.

Those who will meet his remains at the train this afternoon and act as pall-beartrain this afternoon and act as pall-bear-ers are Colonel John B. Purcell and Messrs. Thomas M. Rutherfoord, William M. Hill, N. V. Randolph, Lewis P. Cren-shaw, Thomas Bolling, W. R. Trigg, H. L. Cabell.

Trinity at 3:15 P. M. to attend the funeral.

THE RICHMOND MEN RELEASED. Messrs, Stringer and Martin Return Home-Mr. Burton's Trip.

Messrs. George F. Stringer and Lewis

near Montgomery, W. Va., on Friday, on the charge of having been suspected "holding up" the Chesapeake and Ohio train near Kanawha Falls on Friday morning, but who were afterwards re-leased returned to this city yesterday morning. They say that they proved a complete alibi, and were discharged by a justice of the peace Saturday afternoon. When the attempt to rob the west-hound passenger train was made on Friday morning, these young men, both of whom morning, these young men, both of whom enjoy an excellent reputation here, were at Cotton Hills, W. Va., eighteen miles away from Kanawha Falis. They told a Dispatch man, who interviewed them yesterday, that they were then working their way homeward, and had gotten as far as Cotton Hills upon a freight train. When they reached that point they were arrested by a couple of detectives, who were upon the same train. They supposed they were only charged with "heating" a ride, and were greatly astounded posed they aride, and were greatly astounded when informed that the accusation against them was of a much graver nature. Stringer and Martin went before

against them was of a much graver nature. Stringer and Martin went before a magistrate, proved an alibi, and were honorably released.

In the mean time, their former employer, Mr. Reuben Burton, of this city, took a train for West Virginia on Saturday night, with a view of giving evidence in their behalf and rescuing them. Lo and behold, when he reached the scene the young men had been honorably discharged, and were nearly home again.

Messrs. Stringer and Martin, who are now again at home, said yesterday afternoon that Richmond was good enough for them, and that they would never again attempt to seek employment in foreign cities.

Mr. Burton also arrived home yesterday morning, and expressed himself as

\$2 Hemmed Huck Towels, \$1,50 a dozen, \$3 Hemmed Huck Towels, \$2,29 a dozen, \$2,40 Hemmed Huck Towels, \$1,36 a dozen, \$4 Hemmed Huck Towels, \$1,50 a dozen, \$5 Fringed Huck Towels, \$1,50 a dozen, \$5.50 a dozen, \$6.50 a

2 1-2-yard-wide Damask. This is a di-cided bargain. Regular \$1.75 valu-now \$1 a yard. Only three part piece left.

Remnants of Damask at about half price

20x27 Tray-Cloths, full bleached, fine da

Miss Lina Mayo left on Saturday to visi

Mr. C. P. Gaw, one of the clerks a Ford's Hotel, spent Sunday at his home A lawn party will be given at the resi-dence of Dr. Pitt, on flarten Heights, to-night for the benefit of the Missionary

Rev. L. D. Craddock has returned from the Southern Haptist Theological Semi-nary, Louisville, Ky., and is stopping with his parents, 615 west Cary street.

Professor Moses Stein will leave at the

end of the present month to take charge of the orchestra of the Red Sulphu Springs, Monroe county, W. Va. Manager Thomas G. Leath, of the Academy of Music, has returned from New York, where he made large addi-tions to his bookings for next season,

Mr. J. J. White, who has been connected with the Union Gospel Mission fo some time, will leave Thursday for Bas City, where he will hold a meeting. Mr. David C. Goldenberg, formerly this city, after having spent a pleasant visit with relatives and his friends, has returned to his home, in the North. Mr. Shelton W. Davis, with Powers & Paylor Drug Company, left Saturday for Jackson and Canton, Miss., and other

Senator W. A. Little, Jr., of Fredericks-burg, and Hon. Randolph Harrison, of Lynchburg, both members of the last Goneral Assembly, registered at the Jef-ferson on Saturday.

The Richmond Elks who attended the celebration of their Norfolk brethren on Sunday had a royal time, and are loud in their praises of the hospitality ex-

surer of the Academy of Music, will leave Mr. Reginald Walker, of the State

Young Men's Christian Association, will leave to-day for Knuxville, Tenn., to at-tend the conference of the Association Workers, to be held in that city. eave to-day for Knoxville, Tenn., to at-lend the conference of the Association Workers, to be held in that city.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum preached the

sity, Ohio. Both will return to-day, At the Gospel tent, on west Franklin street, last night, Rev. W. A. McCutchen gave a very interesting discourse on 'Soul of Man.' To-night at 8:15 Rev. Neff will speak on the question of "Where Are Our Dead Between Death and the

Mr. G. F. Gallop, of Kentucky, who is to wed Miss Jeanette Atkinson, niece of Mrs. A. D. Atkinson, of the Lexington Hotel, arrived in Richmond Sunday. The nuptials will be belebrated on Wednes-day at 2:30 P. M., in the hotel parlors. Richmonders in New York.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—A. Hancock, Marlborough; B. B. Mumford, New Amsterdam; I. Kaufman, Hoffman.

Cancer is a disease which baffes the skill of the best physical sand and a sand in nearly all cases ultimately proves fatal. S.S.S. has made some marvelous eures of this disease, and can be relied upon after all else fails. SSS

Odd lots of Round and Square twells Tray-Cloths, some half and some than half price.

BATH TOWELS.

TRAGEDY IN A BANK. President Shot by Stranger, Who

Louisiana Democrats Silverite.

Desperate Fighting in Crete

ATHENS, June IS.—Advices elved here that the Cretans in 1 una District have again risen agreement, with the result that dighting has enasted, and a large f men on both sides have been k. It is reported that a British war anded blue-jackets and marines sland of Crete to protect thris sland of Crete to protect thris

Mrs. Thomas E. Johnson and day

DEATHS.

ALLEN.-Entered into eternal 12:50 this morning, SAMUEL, ALLEN. I know that my Redeemer I sought the Lord, and he can he delivered me out of all Funeral from the residence Mason, 613 north Sixth street day) AFTERNOON at 5:30 o

church. He leaves one brot sisters to mourn their loss, triumph of faith, CHILES.—Died, on Sunday, J 1896, at the residence of his bra law, Thomas Kelley, Buckeye, J county, Va., JOHN H. CHILE, was a member of Company G. T Virginia Infantry, Corse's Brigade ett's Division; in the 61st year are

EDLOE -- Died, at Lee Cam Home, June 15, 1886, Veteran LOE (Selden's Pattery, Alat lery), of Williamsburg, Va., as Funeral from the home cha-at 3:20 o'clock, Rev. L. R. clating, Interment at Holly

GILL-Died, June 15, 1896, at

LONG .- Died, at the residence routs, No. 1107 north Twenty June 15, 1896, at 7 o'clock A. MYRTLE, only child of C. C. Long; aged 9 months and 10

Funeral will take place Tilliday) MORNING at it o'clock, friends and relatives dence. All friends and fully invited to attend.

Tore from our arms, in life =0

widow of Rev. B. M. Walles.

WILLIAMS,-Died Monday, Ju-

RANDOLPH.-Died. in Monday, June 15, 1896, WILTON BAN DOLPH; aged 50 years, Funeral from Holy Trinity about Funeral from Holy Trinity THIS AFTERNOON at 320 Friends of the family invited to WAILES - Died, June 18th, at her Kleinburg, Nelson county, Va., CONSTANCE C. WALLES, aged 64 y

at 2 A. M., after a lingering lint the residence of her mother-in-la

age,
Funeral will take place from St.
Patrick's church THIS (Tuesday) MOKNINO, at 10 o'clock, Friends and relative
invited to attend.